

[ DUPLICATE.]

MR. SPEAKER :

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred house file No. 204, a bill for an act in relation to administering the oath to persons assessed, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the same back to the house with the recommendation that it do pass.

J. G. NEWBOLD, *Chairman.*

Ordered passed on file.

HOUSE FILE NO. 204.]

[BY SCOTT.

## A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 824 OF THE CODE.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That there be  
2 inserted after the word "belief," in the fifth line of section 824 of the Code, the following :  
3 "Which oath shall be subscribed to by the person assessed signing his name in a column prepared  
4 for that purpose in the assessor's book, such signature to be evidence that the assessor has per-  
5 formed his duty in regard to administering the oath, as required by this section."